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Urgent Need to Fill Vacancies in C.W.A.C.

The urgent need to fill vacancies for two hundred C.W.A.C. dental assistants was voiced this week by recruiting officials of the Canadian Women's Army Corps, National Defence Headquarters announced.

Clerks and girls who are qualified to study the Army cooking course have priority in present needs of the C.W.A.C. Primarily, however, the Corps are anxious to enlist women who have had past experience as dental assistants as well as women with qualifications that would equip them to learn the art of chair assistant to officers of the Canadian Dental Corps. These positions are needed to be at present held by male soldiers, of a category that would permit them to transfer to the reinforcement stream for overseas personnel, but these men cannot be released until replacements are found for them, the

Canadian Dental Corps advises. The work of the dental assistant, in civilian practice, has long been ascribed to women. In the Army, it was necessary to employ male soldiers, in order to supply adequate reinforcements for C.D.C. overseas service. Although a number of C.W.A.C. were assigned duties of dental assistants on the formation of their Corps, it was necessary to retain the services of men to support active units in the field, for women in the C.D.C. have never been detailed for duty in advanced positions.

"We have always had too few dentists in Canada," one officer stated. "Now a great many people will have become dentally conscious, as a result of the dental treatment accorded them in the field. There will be a need for more dentists after the war, and consequently a need for more dental assistants. Any woman who has assisted with dental work in uniform should find a similar field for her services in the post-war period."

FO "Dusty" Poxon Returns from Overseas

Flying Officer Francis "Dusty" Poxon is at present on leave from the Airforce, at his home at 1214-44th Street, March 15, 1945. Poxon, having completed thirty successful flights over enemy territory, F/O Poxon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Poxon.

Born at Carbon, he received his public school education here and attended Mount Royal College, Calgary, and joined the Airforce in March, 1942, going overseas in November, 1943. He has had many thrilling adventures in his flights over enemy country particularly in the flight on "D" Day.

F/O Poxon was particularly good at all forms of athletics, when residing in Carbon, starting in lawn tennis, badminton, hockey, baseball, softball and track events. He reached the finals of the City of Calgary badminton doubles, paired with Morrison in 1942.

He specialized particularly in lawn tennis, being the winner of seven championships in the Alberta Provincial Championships, from 1936 to 1940. In 1936 he won the Boy's Provincial Championship. In 1938 he won four Championships at the Alberta Championships, a feat that has only been duplicated once in the history of Alberta, taking the Junior Singles, Victor's Singles, Men's Secondary Singles and Junior Doubles, paired with R. Wise of Carbon. In 1939 he took the Junior Doubles paired with J. Stott of Edmonton, and in 1940 the Mixed Secondary Doubles paired with Annie Lemay of Carbon. He won the Open Singles Drumheller three years in succession, 1939-40-41, and the District No. 5 Championship Singles three years in succession, 1938-39-40, and the Championship Singles of Calgary Lawn Tennis Club in 1941.

He was also the winner in Singles and Doubles in many other lawn tennis tournaments, held at Calgary, Edmonton, Lethbridge, Banff, Three Hills, Olds, Trochu, Bassano, Drumheller, Strathmore and Bashaw.

Francis Poxon played first Singles and Doubles in the Carbon team that won the Lawn Tennis Club Championship of Central Alberta in 1937 and 1939. The members of the team were Francis Poxon, Norman Nash (now in Navy), H. Langstaff, Cyril Foxon, Mrs. Weigum (now Annie Lemay) and Miss Mabel Nash. Photos of the team are on display at Bralder's store, secretary of the Carbon Lawn Tennis Club since 1927.

F/O Poxon is now attached to the No. 2 Air Command, Winnipeg, which he will rejoin when his leave expires. Contributed

M. L. A. Urges Hard-Surfacing Program

Advocates of an improved Alberta Highway system to meet the needs of tourist traffic were heartened recently by the address given in the legislature by Dr. J. L. Robinson, M. L. A. for Medicine Hat.

The member stressed the importance of hard surfacing the Alberta road lengths that tie up with the ports of entry on U.S. boundary.

This is something that has long been advocated by the Alberta Motor Association as an urgent need in forming part of an improved highway system for the province.

In his address, the member pointed to the large expenditures that are being made by other provinces for road purposes. He also showed the big factor federal road grants have proven to be in the states and cited figures from Montana.

I Saw...

Several girls getting their mail two or three times the day the "Big 4" was in town. Or was it the "Big 7"?

P. H. Steele quitting sharp at four on Tuesday.

Ted Schmidt operating free taxi service—or something.

Carbon Red Cross Association Meets

An interesting meeting of the Carbon Red Cross Association was held at the Municipal Hall on Monday evening, March 12, with Mr. S. N. Wright in the chair.

Carbon's quota this year has been set at \$150.00, which should be reached without much difficulty as the quota last year was exceeded by about \$150.00.

Nominating officers for the coming year took place as follows:

Non-President: S. N. Wright President; J. Atkinson sr. Sec.-Treas. C. E. Wall

A canvassing committee was appointed as follows: —Town— Mrs. S. Poxon and Mrs. C. W. Smith, east; Mrs. Skerry and Mrs. F. Emery, centre; Mrs. L. Poxon and Mrs. H. Brown, west.

Mr. H. Brown and the Fox Brothers were appointed to canvass the mines.

Country— S. J. Cunnings and R. Garrett, north east; John Harsch and J. S. Bertsch, south east; James Gordon, Joseph Bramley and W. B. Elliott, south west; and Stewart Hay and Leo Halstead, north west.

The canvassers will put forth every effort to see that each person in town and district are contacted and it is hoped that they will receive your kind cooperation as well as a good, liberal donation.

Let us dig a little deeper this year, as this is a very worthy cause.

It was also decided at the meeting that the names and amount of each donor will be published in the Chronicle, commencing next week.

Donations may also be left at the Bank, with Mr. C.H. Nash, S.N. Wright with Mr. McLeod at the Post Office.

AUCTION

Having Received Instructions From Mr. K. Anderson

I will sell by Public Auction 4 Miles East and 9 Miles North of Carbon

Tues., March 20th

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HORSES

2-year-old Colt, green broken 5-year-old School Pony 2 Sets Breaching Harness; Stock Saddle 50 Leghorn Hens

MACHINERY

Minneapolis-Moline Tractor on rubber, Model U, like new; 12 ft. Baldwin Combine, A1 shape, with pick-up; 12-ft. Cockshutt Swath like new, cut about 300 acres; 8-ft. Cockshutt Tiller with single box; 1929 Chevrolet 1½-ton Truck newly overhauled, 5 good tires; 8-ft. Packer for Tiller; H. G. Sinter Disc; 3-bottom Massey-Harris Disc Plow; 20-ft. Grain Loader on wheels; Wagner & Box; Wagner & Rack; Rack; 12-inch Heavy Cyclone Chopper with Elevator; Set of Hobsleigh; 1½-h.p. Fairbanks-Morse Pump Engine; Pump Jack; Large Water Tank; Tank Heater; Truck Trailer; 1-ton Chain Hoist; Hog Self Feeder; Slip Hog Load; Hog Troughs; 40 rods Hog Wire; Quantity Lumber; 16x12 Brooder House; Brooder Stove; 200 egg Incubator; Chicken Coops; Large Wooden Barrel; Garden Seeder & Wheel Hoe; Chains; Shovels & all small Tools.

Household Goods

Dining Table & Buffet; Kitchen Chair; Bed; Divanette & 2 Chairs; Dresser; 7-tube Rogers Radio with batteries; Bed, springs & mattress; Writing Desk; Hooker self-feeder Heater; Kitchen Sink; Gas Lamp; Gas Lantern; 20 gallon Crock; 5-gallon Churn; Ice-Cream Freezer; Bath Tub; Cream Separator; Child's Crib;

Treatment of Grain Against Smut

Most farmers are now thinking of treating their seed against stinking smut. The recommended treatment is to use mercurial dusts—Cresan or Leyton—but to be effective these dusts must be applied to the grain with a special machine usually called the "Kemp Seed Treater".

If a Kemp Seed Treater is not available, farmers can make a rough machine themselves. The Field Husbandry Departments

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of our Prairies Universities at Edmonton, Saskatoon or Winnipeg, have plans which they can supply. Plans are also supplied by the manufacturers of these dusts.

Farmers who use mercurial dusts should bear in mind that the material is poisonous, and so a mask of some kind must be worn when the dust is being used; also that grain treated with mercurial dust must not be fed to stock.

Those who prefer, or are obliged, to use formaldehyde must take the greatest care to use this chemical only at the proper strength recommended by the manufacturer. If the solution is made even the least bit too strong it will damage the germination of the seed. Grain can be treated mercurial dust several weeks before it is necessary to sow it but grain should be treated with formaldehyde only a few hours before it is to be sown.



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POOL PAYMENTS HELD UP

There will be no payment of patronage dividends by the Alberta Wheat Pool this spring. Neither will there be any purchase of reserves. Nothing can be done in this regard until the federal government makes a decision on the question of taxing co-operatives.

For some years past the Alberta Wheat Pool has been issuing substantial sums in the form of patronage dividends and for the purchase of reserves at about this time of year. Members who may be looking forward to the same will undoubtedly be disappointed to hear that these payments will not be forthcoming. Until it is made clear whether the federal government will tax such earnings or not these payments will have to be held up. If it is decided to tax the earnings the amount of the payment will be lessened by the amount of the tax.

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JACKETS, WINDBREAKERS, OVERALLS,
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Here You Go—

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| SHELLED ALMONDS, ¼ lb. | 25c |
| CANNED PLUMS, 20-oz. tins, 2 fine. | 25c |
| CHEESE, 6 months cured, very fine, lb. | 35c |
| HEINY SOUP, Vegetable or Tomato, 2 for. | 25c |
| PECAN NUTS, large, glossy (lots of "cm), lb. | 29c |
| APPLES, good quality, 5 lbs. | 25c |
| RED RIBB TOMATOES, per lb. | 23c |
| CARLIFFLOWER, large, white heads, each | 25c & 35c |
| HEAD LETTUCE, great big, fresh, firm ones | 2 for 25c |
| GRAPEFRUIT, large, 100%, 7 for | 15c |
| CELERY, Chula Vista, per lb. | 14c |
| TOMATO JUICE, gallons, per tin | 59c |
| FRESH FISH (arrive every Friday), first come first served. Oysters, Crabs, Shrimps, Etc. | |
| PURE LEMON JAM, 4 lbs. tin | 45c |
| BRAMBLE JELLY, 4 lbs. tin | 65c |
| Strawberry & Apple, Raspberry & Apple, etc., etc., 4 lb. tins 50c each | |
| GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, lots of it, 50-oz. tins | 35c |
| CANNED SALMON, pink, talls, per tin | 23c |
| Flats, ½, 2, per tin | 15c |
| Flats, ½, 2, per tin | 23c |
| (All you want) | |
| CHOCOLATE BARS, 10 for | 55c |
| CLARKE'S MUSHROOM SOUP, 2 for | 25c |
| PEANUT CRUNCH CANDY, fresh, per lb. | 65c |
| (Nowhere can you beat this price) | |
| CANNED BEANS, cut, greens, large 20-oz. tins | 2 for 26c |
| SWIFT'S BACON, (small squares), lb. | 15c |
| PRUNES (fresh juicy), medium size, 10 lbs. only \$1.18 | |
| (Take this offer) | |
| ORANGES, any size, by the dozen, or lb. | 12c |
| CABBAGE, per lb. | 96c |
| RADISH, LEAF LETTUCE, GREEN ONIONS garden fresh, bunch 5 | |
| Just Arrived! 5 tons Oyster Shells, 5 tons Vigor Chick Starter | |
| ONIONS, small bulbs, 3 lbs. for | 12c |
| FRY'S COCOA, 1 lb. tin | 31c |

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Leadership In War

EVERY WAR HAS HAD ITS GREAT LEADERS in both political and military affairs, and undoubtedly every courageous leadership makes an invaluable contribution to the welfare of a nation at all times whether it is at peace or at war. The fate which has now overtaken Germany, Japan and Italy is the result of the predatory policies of the Axis leaders, which has led not only to the destruction of their own countries, but to the disruption of normal living in almost every part of the world. In contrast we have the example of the magnificent leadership which has been given to Great Britain, the United States, Russia and other United Nations during the five difficult years which have just passed. Each of these nations has passed through numerous crises during the war, but their governments have remained firm and the people have had every reason to give their loyalty and support to the men who are their leaders.

Empire Has Had Great Leaders

It is often said that the British Empire has been fortunate in having many great men for leaders, both in politics and in combat. The pages of history substantiate this belief, for the story of the British people is linked with such names as Cromwell, Pitt, Gladstone, Drake, Wellington, Nelson, and countless others. The Second World War will add many more to this list, for there has been no lack of men of courage, vision and ability to lead at this time. Although in comparison with the enemy, Britain was poorly prepared for war, men came forward in every branch of service, who were able to lead the nation to a position of great superiority in spite of air raids, submarine war, bomb attacks and numerous other difficulties. It is true that the resources of the United Nations were greater than those of the enemy, but they could not have been so quickly and effectively mobilized had we been less fortunate in the quality of our leaders.

Many Changes For Germany

The course of events during the past twenty years have perhaps demonstrated more clearly than at any time in the world's history, the great damage that can be wrought through the influence of political power. The question of the extent to which the people of the Axis nations are guilty for the acts of their leaders is a controversial one, but one point which is clear is that it is the concern of every country to see that in the future they must show that they are capable of choosing wise leaders or have these leaders chosen for them. At the recent conference in the Crimea, Prime Minister Churchill, President Roosevelt and Premier Stalin showed that among the "Big Three" there is complete agreement concerning the need to stamp out all that is connected with Germany's repeated efforts to gain power through aggression during the past century. This will involve a very different type of leadership for the German people, but if this change can be effected, it will go far towards ensuring peace in the years to come.

Study Dress Designing

War Veterans in Montreal Decide To Enroll For Course

Men who have battled in tanks and machine guns in war can nevertheless produce the art and dexterity required to design a lady's dress. That is what 25 war veterans in Montreal believe and they have the courage of their convictions for they have enrolled to take a course in dress designing. But the veterans don't propose to forget that they have been active service. They've applied to form a dress-designers branch of Canadian Legion.



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Night Coughing

WHEN A COLD sticks up the nose, causes mouth breathing, causes tickle and night coughing, use this time-tested Vicks VapoRub that goes to work instantly... 2 vials at once!

At bedtime rub good old Vicks VapoRub on chest and throat, back. Then wash in hot water. Stimulating action keeps you from coughing.

It penetrates to upper breathing passages with soothing medicinal vapors. It stimulates chest and back muscles for easy breathing, counteracts dryness and keeps you awake for hours.

Even while you sleep, it keeps coughing, snoring and tightness from coming back. Vicks VapoRub brings good comfort! Try it tonight... Vicks VapoRub.



MECCA OINTMENT

Bures, Sores, Guts, Etc.

SMILE AWHILE

"Sit down in front."

"I can't. I don't bend that way."

"What happens when a body is completely untrained in war?"

"The telephone rings."

Policeman to gentleman staggering home at 3 a.m.: "Where are you going at this time of night?"

"To a lecture."

Private: "You're off for a forty-eight, sir, to help my wife with the spring cleaning?"

Commander: "No, I'm afraid not."

Private: "Thank you, sir. I knew I could rely on you."

Johnny had seen his mother measure a yard by holding one end to her nose and the other at arm's length. One day he came running in with a piece of rope.

"Here, mother," he said, "smell this and see how long it is."

Mrs. Giddy: "Why are all these people across the street always looking into your window?"

Mr. Giddy: "Maybe I'm to find out who you are always looking into there."

Old Gen: "What does your father do for a living son?"

Tommy: "He chops down trees."

Old Gen: "And what does it consist of when he has chopped them down?"

Tommy: "He chops them up."

Minister (dinner guest): "And what will you do when you get as big as your mother?"

Little Jane: "Diet."

"My dear," exclaimed the husband when he arrived home late and found his wife waiting for him, "you'll never guess where I've been tonight."

"Oh, yes," John replied his wife, "but go on with your story anyway."

When giving the baby a bath, a thermometer is unnecessary. If the baby turns red, the water is too hot. If the baby turns blue, the water is too cold. If the baby turns white, you will know he needed a bath.

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Solve Labor Problems

Women Employed On Various Railway Jobs Do Good Work

Women workers have entered into many railway occupations which were held exclusively by men before the war. A survey just completed shows a total of 654 women employed in Canadian National shops and roundhouses, coach yards and car repair tracks throughout the system.

Some of them are boiler-maker welders, welders, blacksmith helpers and electric crane operators. But the majority of them are engaged in applying their own household cleaning habits to keeping railway locomotives and passenger cars spotless as possible.

Others are helpers to machinists, sheet metal workers, boiler-makers and carmen; and the remainder are classified as laborers, seamstresses, car porters and a turntable operator.

The Central Region of the C.N.R. has 373 women in these Mechanical Department positions, followed by the Atlantic Region with 124, the Western Region with 100 and the C.N.R. lines in the United States, 77.

"These workers are doing a job that men could not do as well," said Mr. R. H. Butler, chief of material power and car equipment for the National system. "When those male employees now in the services receive their military discharges they will, of course, return to their railway jobs which were filled by these women."

TRANSFER.—Pte. Christina Doreen Fraser, Enfranchised, was transferred from No. 3 C.W.A.C. at B.C. Kitchener, Ont. to No. 101 Depot Company, London, Ont. Pte. Fraser, borne at Nelson, B.C., was employed at No. 1 Navigation School, R.C.A.F., Rivers, Man. prior to joining the C.W.A.C. at Winnipeg in December, 1941.

ENLISTED.—Several Saskatchewan girls have enlisted in the C.W.A.C. at Regina recently. Included among them were: Sylvia Flukin, Brookings; Dorothy Kitchner, Regina; Estelle Loughlin, Kinsington; Tillie Sippola, Shaunavon; Rosetta Wilton, Melfort; Esther Knott, Leno; Lakes, Enderby; Moomsion; Ada Erickson, White Fox; Muriel Caplette, Delmas; Bernice Devlin, Caddo.

PROMOTED.—Cpl. Valina Hope Abrahamson, Regina, was recently promoted to the rank of sergeant with the C.W.A.C. in Winnipeg, where she is employed in the office of the army examiner, No. 10 District Depot. Born and raised at Leslie, Sask., she was employed in Winnipeg prior to her enlistment in November, 1942. Her father is serving in Alberta with the Veterans' Guard of Canada.

CLOTHES LINE FANS AT HEART.—In a recent article in the Maple Leaf, Canadian Army newspaper in Italy, a poll of C.W.A.C.s serving in the Mediterranean area was taken on the question, "Women in the Post-War Army." The "No's" got a big majority, but Pte. Carl Thompson, Carleton Place, said "Yes" and gave his reason. "I favor women in the post-war army because I think the army is changed many of them. The number of us don't intend to get married. She didn't enlarge her size, she changed the style."

One-time Calgary newspaper woman, said, "I'm the domestic type and old wives' tales to think women in the place is still in the home." Sgt. Nancy Mercer, Manville, Alta., with a British background, remarked, "The permanent force is hardly a conceivable frame-work for a feminine career." The men, it seems, can have the post-war army all to themselves—the girls are turning in their G.I. for a frilly frock and a date with the back yard clothes line.

CANUCKS PREFER CWAC.—Lena Turner and Greer Garson have had it so far as these Canadian gunners on active service in Holland are concerned—no preference. C.W.A.C.s. Evidence of this fact comes in a letter recently received by the C.W.A.C. Commanding Officer, Fort Osborne, Barracks, Winnipeg, requesting pin-up pictures of eight C.W.A.C.s. The letter signed "The Canucks" read in part, "As you know most fellows are writing to move stars and pin-ups on their uniforms. I have signed their names and eight pictures of our own Canadian C.W.A.C.s." In a P.S. of sudden courage, the letter signed "The Canucks" added, "I have signed their names and eight pictures of our own Canadian C.W.A.C.s." In a P.S. of sudden courage, the letter signed "The Canucks" added, "I have signed their names and eight pictures of our own Canadian C.W.A.C.s."

SHETLAND SWIMMING.—C.W.A.C. Question Mark: Are you observing Lent this year? Penelope C.W.A.C.: Yes, I'm giving up church parades!

Based on the rate of five cents a kilowatt hour for electrical current, electrons cost \$80.000 a pound.

That process is pasteurization.

Indians Built Hospital

Cares Care For Patients Themselves Under Doctor's Supervision

An Indian woman, critically ill, was restored to health through the advice of a physician in a male shift hospital built by her fellow-Cowans at Favorable Lake, near the Okanagan delta, Dr. E. Moore, acting superintendent of medical services for the Indian Affairs Branch, Mines and Resources Department, said.

Dr. L. C. Bartlett, who has practiced at Favorable Lake for several years and who treated the patient, reported results obtained from the continuous, intravenous administration of penicillin were miraculous.

A recent native patient, also seriously ill, was successfully treated by penicillin.

The log building, containing eight beds, was erected with the help of the Indian Affairs Branch, which supplied materials. Now, said Dr. Moore, the Indians bring their sick to Dr. Bartlett for treatment, and pitch their tents beside his hospital. No other help is available, and they care for the patients themselves under his supervision.

League of Canada presents TOPICS OF VITAL INTEREST

MILK IS A VALUABLE FOOD

Milk is not a perfect food but is the best individual one known. It contains materials, which produce energy, foster growth, take care of the repair of worn out muscle tissue, and which, together with vitamin D, can look after the formation and upkeep of bones and teeth. It is a fundamental food for human beings.

However, milk does not contain all the food requirements in correct proportion. It is about 70 per cent water. It contains a small amount of fat, commonly known as butter which is chiefly digested in the stomach. All other food value takes longer to break down and are digested in the intestines.

The protein of milk has all the factors which sustain life as it contains important minerals and vitamins. However, it is deficient in iron, iodine, vitamin B1 or thiamin and vitamins C and D.

Milk is a "Jekyll and Hyde" food. It is a fine all-round food, but at the same time is a culture medium for fermentative, putrefactive and C.W.A.C. disease germs.

Dr. John R. Fraser, Dean of Medicine at McGill University, Montreal, stated that "bacteria" milk has been responsible in the past for more deaths and illness than all other foods grouped together.

And, even clean milk can be unsafe, despite all possible precautions at the source of supply. Therefore, milk must be put through some process that will kill disease germs before it is bottled in order to make it safe.

That process is pasteurization.

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British Market For Bacon Must Be Maintained

OTTAWA.—It would be a mistake to allow hog production to decline, because Canada's post-war market will depend largely on the number of hogs she is able to produce, Agriculture Minister Gardiner said in an interview.

In the week ended Feb. 17, hog gradings amounted to 1,127,274, a decline of 28.5 per cent, as compared with gradings of 1,577,511 in the corresponding week of 1944.

Last year Canada shipped 700,000,000 pounds of bacon to the United Kingdom, and has undertaken to ship 450,000,000 pounds in 1945 and 1946 respectively, a total of 900,000,000 pounds. A market exists for as much as can be produced, and British authorities have indicated they hoped shipments would reach 600,000,000 pounds in 1945 and 1946.

Mr. Gardiner said production last year was higher than had been thought possible, and that to some extent farmers "overdid" it. The production of feed grains last year was "not so good," and livestock had been fed on the big crop grown in 1942.

Labor and feed now are the principal problems. The feed problem in Canada now is primarily one of distribution, and though the over-all supply situation is not stringent, stocks of coarse grains are being depleted fairly rapidly because of heavy domestic disappearance and an active export movement.

Hog production will "come back" to some extent as the year goes along, he said. There was bound to be some reaction. More labor was required to feed hogs than to produce beef, but "we want all the hogs we can get."

After the war Britain would return to hog production to the extent that she could feed herself, she preferred to produce milk for her own requirements and likely would turn to Canada for these requirements.

Britain would be unable to raise more than a certain number of hogs on her own feed grain, and if it became necessary to import grain she no doubt would consider it sound policy to buy hogs from "the people who have the grain and can finish them."

"We must demonstrate that Canada can consistently produce a certain amount," said Mr. Gardiner. "We ought to be sending over 500,000,000 or 600,000,000 pounds of bacon each year. We should keep to the highest possible level to convince the British we can maintain it."

FILIPINOS FREE

Civil Administration Is Again To Be Restored

MANILA.—Gen. Douglas MacArthur restored civil administration of the Philippines to the commonwealth government and thus fulfilled a pledge given to the Filipinos when he withdrew his troops from Manila five years ago.

Standing among the ruins of burned and sacked Manila, MacArthur reviewed these three years of "bitterness, struggle and sacrifice," and vowed that "by these ashes" the enemy "has wretchedly fixed the pattern of his own doom."

MacArthur's action, broadcast through the world was hailed by a cheering throng of civil and military officials gathered in the liberated capital.

President Sergio Osmeña, in accepting restoration of the civil government, appealed to all duly-elected members of the government who "have remained steadfast to their allegiance" to return to Manila and re-establish the legislative branch.

"I ask all my people to help re-establish law and order for a formal return so that in 1945 our request for independence will be granted," Osmeña said.

WAD FOR FRENCH NAVY

WASHINGTON.—The United States navy has spent more than \$200,000,000 to rebuild the French navy since the Allied landings in North Africa. In 1942, it was announced. In addition, the United States, with assistance from Britain, is supplying all material to operate the French fleet.

NEW JET PLANE

ALLIED SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, Paris.—The Germans have a new twin jet plane in operation on the western front, it was disclosed by the United States 9th Air Force.

A fortress usually means a larger, more extensive fortification than a fort.

Lieut.-Governor Reviews Guard



Lieut.-Governor Albert Matthews reviews the Veterans Guard of Ontario before the Parliament buildings at Queen's Park, Toronto, prior to the opening of the Ontario legislature.

Problems Of Veterans Will Be Discussed

TORONTO.—Before Johnny comes marching home, educationists and industrial leaders believe he'll have formed some new ideas about his place in the business, professional and industrial world of post-war Canada.

Helping the returned serviceman put his ideas into practice to his own advantage and Canada's is the task businessmen, government officials and educators have given themselves in calling a reorientation conference at Montebello, Que. April 7 to 11.

First of its kind in Canada, the conference has been called by Canadian legion educational services to pool ideas of employers across the Dominion for successful reorientation of veterans.

Dr. W. J. Dunlop, co-chairman of the conference, explained in an interview here plans behind the conference which some 150 delegates are expected to attend. Dr. Dunlop is chairman of the central Ontario committee on education for the legion.

Dr. Dunlop cited the example of the former officer who, after two or three years in the army, comes home "with the idea of becoming general manager." Then there's the case of a post-war law student who decides his career lies in an advertising agency and there's the man who wants to come back to his old job as he left it. Canadian employers must find a place for him, too.

"We found on investigation, that a number of the country's chief employers had reorientation plans of their own," Dr. Dunlop says. "When we approached them with the proposition of pooling their ideas through a national conference, however, we found them highly enthusiastic to discuss their plans with the other fellow."

PRISONERS MOVED

4,000 British And American Prisoners Sent To Another Camp

LONDON.—The British air force said it had been informed that 4,000 sick American and British prisoners of war have left Stalag 34 at Lamdorf in eastern Germany for another German prison camp as yet unknown. Canadians have been reported among prisoners located at Stalag 34.

Physically fit prisoners from Stalag 34 were reported on the march between Beinhelm Leipzig and Karlsruhe.

The war office said also that prisoners from Stalag 8, where Canadians also were reported located, had been divided, part proceeding toward Kassel and part to Neuberg, while prisoners from Stalag 8-C were moving toward Hanover and Kassel.

HIMMLER'S STRONG HAND

LONDON.—Gestapo Chief Heinrich Himmler, charged with holding together the German home front, was reported to be streamlining Berlin's defence garrison to an army of fanatics. Himmler's recent move to the east, said a German newspaper, since Das Schwarze Korps, threatened death to every party leader who fled his post or otherwise failed to be an example of "fearless resistance in the face of the enemy."

TELL THE TRUTH

Ontario To Put Obligation On Companies And Promoters

TORONTO.—A securities bill, given first reading in the Ontario legislature, will impose an obligation on companies and promoters to tell the truth about the securities they sell, said Attorney-General Leslie Blackwell who introduced the measure.

Promoters and financial agents will be required to keep files of all transactions and present them for approval to a securities commission. The commission, not to exceed three members, will be responsible to the government for its actions.

Persons carrying on business of "investment counsel" are for the first time recognized and are required to register under the act.

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

"Mail Up" On German Front



Shows Canadians receiving their mail in Germany, close to the battle front. The mail orderly, extreme left, is Spr. Frank Wadsworth of Eburne, B.C.

Repatriated From German Prison Camp



When the Swedish liner Gripsholm, on another mercy mission, docked in New York, she carried many members of the Canadian Army and the Royal Canadian Air Force repatriated from German prison camps for medical reasons. (Left) The Gripsholm will hold happy memories for these Canadians, for it meant return to homeland, via U.S.A. Pte. Michael Dunlop, 4th Highlanders, is seen in the foreground. He was wounded and captured in Italy. Pte. Harold Raymond Bryant, 5th Light Infantry, was captured in Sicily. Pte. Harold Raymond Bryant, 5th Light Infantry, was captured in Sicily. Pte. Harold Raymond Bryant, 5th Light Infantry, was captured in Sicily. Pte. Harold Raymond Bryant, 5th Light Infantry, was captured in Sicily.

Great Powers Prepared For Enemy Collapse

LONDON.—Prime Minister Churchill declared that the great powers were completely prepared for the collapse of Germany, said the proposed Polish frontier would "not sow the seeds of future war," and gave his personal assurance of Russia's good faith in plans for the peace.

He promised drastic and effective steps "to render offensive action by Germany utterly impossible for generations to come," and called on Germany again to surrender.

Mr. Churchill said the United States would play "a vitally important part" in a new, far stronger world security league "which will not shrink from establishing its will against the evil-doers" by force of arms.

Giving the first public account by one of the principals at the momentous Crimean conference, he termed the proposed Polish boundary "the fairest division which can be made between the two warring countries."

Marshal Stalin has given "the most solemn declarations" that Poland's sovereignty and independence would be maintained, he said, and "this declaration has now been joined in both by Great Britain and by the United States."

He declared the objective of the great powers was "to save the world" and that "the world organization cannot be based upon the dictatorship of the great powers."

At one point the prime minister delivered a passage which indicated that the question of Russian participation in the war with Japan may have been at least raised at the Yalta conference.

He said the San Francisco world security conference opening April 25 would bring together "all those representatives of the United Nations who have declared war upon Germany and Japan by the first of March, 1945, and who have signed the United Nations' declaration of war."

In Command



Lieut. Cmdr. Desmond W. Piers of Halifax, N.S., commanding officer of the Canadian destroyer H.M.C.S. Algonquin, returned to Canada recently on leave after a year's service overseas.

HAS HUGE INCOME

Gangsters In Full Control Of Black Market In Britain

LONDON.—The black market in Britain has grown into a gangster-controlled network with an annual income of more than 5,000,000 (\$22,000,000), it was disclosed.

Figures recently made public of the huge losses suffered by public utilities—and eventually the war effort—have started an outcry for more effective police action.

Huge quantities of goods "vanish" every day from railway sidings, ports and roads to find their way into the black market, including foods, tobacco, cigarettes, cloth, shoes, furniture, fuel, cameras, drugs, flash-light batteries and mail.

Most reliable source of supplies for the "blackmarkets" are British railways. During 31 years more than 100,000,000 tons of goods, raw materials and unrationed has been stolen, most of it for sale in the underground markets. Added to that is another 1,000,000 tons a year from road and canal traffic and 500,000 tons a year from ships in port.

Food Minister Llewellyn said the blackest spots are the great ports like London, Liverpool and Bristol and certain industrial cities in the north.

Whole quantities of army goods are written off weekly, as are typewriters, sewing machines, and motorcar accessories.

ARGENTINA'S STAND

Is Unlikely That It Will Find Cause To Declare War

BUENOS AIRES.—Col. Juan Peron, vice-president of Argentina, declared he desired full restoration of cordial relations with the United States and Russia but said the possibility was unlikely that his country would be taking Germany's behavior sufficient cause to declare war against the Nazis.

In an interview, Col. Peron asserted that a sudden declaration of war against Germany, "on grounds palpably insufficient, readily recognized and opportunistic would alienate our friends in this country and other American republics and give our foes an opportunity to heap scorn on us."

WANTED AS MEMBER

MEXICO CITY.—The Inter-American conference took up a proposal to ask Canada to join the Pan-American union, a step Canada never previously displayed any interest in taking.

March On Rhine Caused Enemy Great Damage

WITH THE 1ST CANADIAN ARMY IN GERMANY.—Overcoming German resistance in the march on the 3d Canadian Army through rolling farmlands between the Maas and Rhine rivers in scorching the German countryside as surely as if the enemy were destroying his own villages, his own cattle, his own crops.

This march on the Rhine follows a destructive campaign. Klee, Goch, Calcar, Udem and lesser villages in the path of the advance since Feb. 8 can be written off as habitable communities for bombs, shells, mortar and small arms fire have razed their villages, torn up their streets, wrecked their public services.

Farmhouses along the dirt roads leading the towns are equally badly shrapnel. The Germans converted them into strongpoints and our artillery smashed them to pulp with countless shells.

The Canadian artillery fire recently has been tremendous. In some places severely anti-aircraft searchlights craters. Rich in livestock before the attack began, the countryside is now a graveyard for hundreds of cows, pigs, sheep, horses and poultry.

German, where organized resistance ended, could hardly be bombing, which smashed Klee and Goch on the eve of the 1st Canadian army's entry into the town. Bombs, shells, mortar and small arms fire have razed their villages, torn up their streets, wrecked their public services.

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THE FLYING BOB

Something More Than "Incident" As Official Language Describes It

LONDON.—The official language still calls them "V bomb incidents" in "southern England." Thirteen-year-old Daphne Newton figured in one. She had just old goodbye to her father and mother and run out of the house to call for a friend on the way to school.

As she rounded the corner and pushed open her front gate, the V-weapon fell. When choking clouds of dust cleared, Daphne looked back. Her home was a rubble, her parents dead beneath it.

Her neighborhood since 1940 has been scarred by a mine, an ordinary bomb and two flying bombs, all before last fall.

NEW APPOINTMENT

Thos. Miller Will Be Lieutenant-Governor Of Saskatchewan

OTTAWA.—Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced the appointment of Thomas Miller, publisher of the Moose Jaw Times, as lieutenant-governor of Saskatchewan, succeeding Archibald Peter McNab.

Mr. McNab, probably Saskatchewan's most colorful lieutenant-governor, has been in ill health for some time and his duties have been handled by Chief Justice William Martin.

It was Chief Justice Martin who officially opened the present sitting of the Saskatchewan legislature.

NORTHERN CARIBOU

Have Been Sighted Closer To The Fox This Winter Than In Many Years

THIS P.A.S. Man.—Barrenland caribou have been sighted closer to the Fox this winter than in many years. Generally the barrenland caribou may farther north, although woodland caribou are common in the district.

Officials of the mines and natural resources department, who have just completed an aerial survey of northern regions, report that caribou are widely distributed throughout the north country this year.

LEBANON DECLARES WAR

LONDON.—Lebanon declared war on Germany and Japan a few hours after a lunge attack by adjacent Syria and the formal approval of Egypt's declaration against the axis.

ATTACK CONVOY

LONDON.—A.E.A. coastal command aircraft, continuing their vigil against enemy shipping in the Skagerrak, attacked a convoy of nine cargo vessels and probably destroyed at least three.

BRITAIN DEVELOPING GLASS INDUSTRY

Bullet-Proof Glass Is Now Being Used In Tanks And Bombers

British factories can now turn out glass strong enough to be bullet-proof or fine enough to be woven into fabric.

Tanks and bombers are now fitted with bullet-proof windows.

At the same time a Scottish factory is now drawing glass three or four times as strong as the ordinary glass of the thickness of human hair.

Millions of glass marbles made from special raw materials are melted in electric furnaces, and from every pound of marbles about 175 miles of fine thread can be drawn.

Glass has thus a tremendous variety of uses. At present the electrical industry is the largest single user of glass silk cloths to insulate electric motors, generators and transformers. They do not rot, are unaffected by water and most chemicals are vermin-proof, are as efficient that a thin layer is enough and so free of dust that apparatus can operate safely at much higher temperatures.

A 10 hp. motor insulated with cotton weighed 354 pounds. When insulated with glass silk the same motor weighed only 190 pounds, occupied only half as much space, and operated at higher speeds. Glass fibre insulation used in a battleship can reduce the weight by 500 tons.

Experts in Britain expect that the material made of glass fibres reinforcing and binding plastics has the greatest strength in relation to weight of any material known.

Already experimental aircraft have been built of this new plastic plus glass and other developments are expected.

Areas For Trees

Many Farms In Canada Have Patches Unsuitable For Cultivation

There is hardly a farm in Canada that has not one or more areas unsuitable for cultivation. Perhaps just an acre here and an acre there. These areas can be made to grow trees which will prove a boon.

Many of these patches are good soil but cannot be cultivated because of stones or steep inclines. Ideal conditions for good tree growth. There are species of trees that thrive well on the poor, dry sandy soils. There is no part of the farm except the bare rocks that will not grow trees of one species or another, states the Dominion Forest Service.

Many woodlots have been so badly cut over that they can no longer reproduce suitable trees naturally and these areas as well as the blank patches must be planted.

Trees may be grown from seed sown in the field but for a number of reasons it is more profitable to plant seedlings which have been started in a tree nursery.

A number of the provinces maintain large tree nurseries where planting stock may be secured at very little cost. The Dominion Department of Agriculture supplies planting stock for shelter belts and in the prairie provinces from the Forest Station at Indian Head and Sudbury, Ont.

Many commercial tree nurseries in nearly every province from which planting stock may be secured.

The season for planting is early spring before the seedling buds begin to open, or later than the end of May.

The first important rule is to fence off the plantation area from grazing stock.

The species should be selected to suit the site. Most clay-lands are adapted to maple, yellow birch, and spruce, while the pine will thrive on dry sandy soils.

It is well to keep in mind that the little plant pots and seedlings are very delicate and should never be left exposed to the air.

Awarded V.C.

Guthrie Soldier Wins The Crozier Honor For Courage

A Gurkha soldier, Rifleman, Thomas Gurung, has been posthumously awarded the Victoria Cross. It was awarded for courage and devotion to duty which enabled his comrades to escape from murderous German fire on an Italian mountain.

On a patrol to explore positions that were to be attacked shortly, Gurung was posted and captured the German in one machine-gun position, then exposed himself on the skyline four times to allow the patrol to attain the summit, then withdrew. Each time he attacked a strong German position.

He was last seen standing alone on the summit firing his Bren gun at the enemy.

This brought to 131 the number of men awarded the Empire's highest award for gallantry in this war. Eight of the recipients have been Canadians.

Stuck In The Mud



This gun crew are stuck in the mud outside of Dunkirk, where Canadians and British troops are fighting the Hun still holding over behind floods, canals, minefields and pillboxes. They are attempting to "dig out the Hun."

British Minesweeper

H.M.S. Stormway Is Small But Has Had Plenty Of Excitement

H.M.S. Stormway is a little ship with a big history.

A minesweeper, Stormway has steamed more than 80,000 miles swept up some 2,000 mines, "captured" an island, routed a pack of R. A. and survived several air attacks.

It was in 1942 that Stormway started a career that was to culminate with her being refitted as the "working" minesweeper in the Royal Navy. In August of that year she led the Canadians into Dieppe and for eight hours fought to provide some cover for the soldiers ashore.

Two months later she was in the Mediterranean to help keep the sea lanes open between Oran and Philippeville. She helped pave the landings at Pantelleria and Sicily—and when King George sailed in H.M.S. Aurora from Tripoli to Malta in July, 1943, it was the little Stormway which made a 240-mile sweep to clear the way.

Salerno was probably her toughest job. Engineer Officer V. R. Dale said the ship "was under constant shell-fire and continuous air assault. I have never seen a place so thoroughly swarmed with mines."

Then, in June last year, men from Stormway stormed the island of Giannutri—but when the armed party got ashore they were met by a free-dom-happy populace because the Germans had left under cover of dark.

In Greece, this year, the minesweeper launched into a harbor to the sounds of "guns and rifles being fired all over the place" but the firing was in her honor.

Capture Valuable Mine

Chinese Troops In Burma Deprived Japs Of Lead Production

Chinese troops have captured the fabulous Hsawin silver and lead mines 22 miles northwest of Lashio in Burma, depriving the Japanese of lead production sufficient to supply their whole war machine.

The mines, among the richest in the East, were captured intact after the Japanese had put up only brief resistance a few miles to the north. Chinese units drove on and captured Nantun, which is on a branch railroad to Lashio.

The belief that it increased the better content of milk led to the naming of the buttercup. "It grows only on sand, dry old pastures which afford the best food for cows."

GEMS OF THOUGHT

ADVANCEMENT

I find the great thing in this world is not so much where we stand as in what direction we are moving. —Oliver Wendell Holmes.

See first that the design is wise and just; that ascertainance pursue it resolutely; do not for one repulse forego the purpose that you resolved to effect. —Shakespeare.

In actual life every great enterprise begins with and takes its first forward step in faith. —Schlegel.

If we are not secretly yearning and openly striving for the accomplishment of all we ask, our prayers are "vain repetitions," such as the heathen use. —Mary Baker Eddy.

Social progress makes the well-being of all more and more the business of each; it binds all closer and closer together in bonds from which none can escape. —Henry George.

Let us labor for that larger comprehension of truth, and that more thorough repudiation of error, which shall make the history of mankind a series of ascending developments. —Horace Mann.

French Art

Was Kept Alive During The German Occupation

French artists, working under the most trying conditions, continued to produce their paintings all through the four years of German occupation. Many artists known for their anti-Nazi sentiments continued to create while in hiding.

There was always the threat that they might be taken by the Nazis for forced labor. Materials were scarce, but dealers cleaned out their stock to provide art works. Much work of the work was done in unheated studios, artists worked together whenever help was available.

Clandestine papers furnished a ready market for art works. Collaborationist art criticism, however, confined itself to insulting ridicule. Under sponsorship of world-celebrated French modernists, who were determined to keep independent art alive even in the midst of German occupation, a new group of "younger artists" grew in Paris. Among them are Edouard Pignon, Edmond Gery, Leon Giech, and Andre Fougere.

The artists thought the moon had a mirror-like surface, and the features they saw on it were thought to be reflections of continents and seas here on earth.

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

Great Canadian Soldier

Late Lieut.-General Burstell Achieved Fame In Last War

Lieut.-General Sir Henry Burstell, who died in England, where he had retired after leaving the Canadian Army in 1923, was a Canadian and a great soldier, although lacking the glamor that attached to such names as Currie and Byng. This was because Burstell was chiefly noted as commander of the Canadian Second Division with which he achieved fame some 20 years ago.

He commanded this division on the Somme, at Vimy Ridge, on the Plain of Douai, at Hill 70, which was one of the Canadian Army's greatest feats, and at Passchendaele. All these were stirring and heroic battles which have been emblazoned on the colors of Canadian regiments, besides which the men of the Second Division were noted for their daring raids, being spoken of as "the boys who harried the Hun."

Before the war he was in command of a brigade which performed heroic feats, and he was with the main reached Mons on Armistice Day.

Sir Henry was a native of Quebec, a graduate of the Military College at Kingston, and served in the Boer war, where he was twice wounded. He had seen service in the Yukon with the Northwest Mounted Police, and spent some time after the Boer war with the South African Constabulary which was founded by Baden-Powell. He received his knighthood in 1918.

Canada is not a military nation in the ordinary sense but it has trained some of the finest military leaders—and fighting men—in the world.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Heavy Losses

Claims That German Losses In War With Russia Were Ten Million Men

A Moscow broadcast said that Germany's losses in the war with Russia were approximately 10,000,000 men.

The Russian commentator, "Analyze," speaking on the 27th anniversary of the Red Army, said the Germans lost an average of 30,000 men a day killed and captured during the Russian offensive this year.

The average for the first three years of the war, the commentator said, was about 7,000 Germans killed or captured daily.

Figures did not include any wounded. Red wine can be made from white grapes and white wine can be made from red grapes.

British Tanks Roll On Through Holland Mud



British tanks of Field Marshal Sir Bernard Montgomery's offensive forces are seen as they combated nature's obstacle, mud, on the roads at Nijmegen, Holland.

CANADA'S INDIANS ENJOY BETTER TIMES

War Demands Have Caused Them To Be Employed In Many Different Jobs

The sun of prosperity is shining nowadays on Canada's Indians from the Miames of the maritimes to the Salish tribesmen of British Columbia.

War demands have brought better times to the Indians. R. A. Hoy, acting director of the Indian Affairs branch of the mines and resources department, said in an interview.

The troops of Caughnawaga, Que., experts in steel construction, are employed in large numbers in bridge building, and have worked on many corvettes in the St. Lawrence. They watch wage scales and exercise their privileges of unrestricted travel between Canada and the United States.

The Indians who operate trap lines in northern Manitoba and Quebec received 90 cents for a muskrat pelt in 1936. The price now is \$2.30, and during the last six years beaver pelts have increased from an average of \$18 to \$40. Higher incomes, which mean increased purchasing power, are responsible for the rise in fur prices.

Construction projects in the north have been leaving the Indians a number of jobs.

Of Canada's Indian population of 100,000 approximately 1,500 are in the services, most of them in the army.

Advice To Farmers

Reserve Savings Now Will Be Found Useful After The War

The question how to use up or disposable cash to the best advantage is an important one in connection with farm business management at the present time. The holder of a bank account is faced with the problem of between spending and saving. The farmer who chooses to save the greatest possible amount now must plan his own post-war plans practically. Reserves of savings built up now are the basis for which the farmer can make plans, make them more places to live and work on and provide a nest-egg against unforeseen events.

There is no more convincing proof than the experience of the past. About 25 years ago the demand for farm products was high as it is now. Prices not being controlled as in this war rose rapidly and went far. Farmers, as a result, appeared to be doing pretty well. In the latter years of the 1915-18 war a time afterwards, they went on a fairly generous spending spree. They bought land and machinery and other goods at high prices, and in doing so, pushed prices still higher. The day of reckoning came in the 1920's. The farmer had been spending his money at high prices, and in doing so, pushed prices still higher. The day of reckoning came in the 1920's. The farmer had been spending his money at high prices, and in doing so, pushed prices still higher.

It is now, higher than it has been used to get down to a reasonable level—to a point where farmers can be sure, in the future, of being able to get interest and principal repaid. Over and above this, farmers have put up with a substantial amount of savings. The wise farmer will not invest these savings in farm land, which may now appear to be an attractive buy, but will invest them in safe securities such as Victory bonds, so that in the post-war period he will be able to get those things which, when on the market again, will make for a higher standard of farm living.

Visited Calais

Guns From Dover Had Look At Haunts Of Enemy

Men who have manned the guns at Dover and watched the coast of France since the days of the German invasion threat have been to Calais to see their enemy's haunts. They walked through the desolate wilderness of bomb-craters on the cliff-top to the guns they had watched for flashes night after night as they were ready to fire on them.

In one shelter four dead Germans lay as they fell, except that one of them was one, completely played, was a gold watch—sign to the experienced of a booby trap. So the German bodies with their explosives were left unburied. Steel helmets are scattered among the churned-up signs of battle. Farther away is a burial field. Deep in the cliff, well below bomb penetration, are the long galleries in which the Germans lived. Evidence of the settled life that went on "over the ditch" is the presence of dozens of empty rabbit hutches.

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Fought With Tanks

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Safe In Caverns

Britain Has Protected National Gallery's Priceless Collection

The bulk of the British National Gallery's priceless collection of pictures has been hidden in caverns 300 feet below ground ever since the war began. The caverns are in the heart of a mountain "somewhere in England."

Nine days before the outbreak of war the removal from Trafalgar Square began. The last load of pictures was leaving the gallery while Mr. Chamberlain was broadcasting to the nation that it was at war. Altogether 2,000 pictures were taken to safety.

At first pictures were stored in mansions and museums in the country. But when the bombing began it was realized that such protection was insufficient. So caves under a mountain were finally selected as a suitable storehouse.

In each of five caverns a brick bunker was built. In these the pictures were hung on walls and screens and kept under continual observation.

Instead of trying to heat and dry the caves, some of which are so vast that the roofs are out of sight, engineers installed an air-conditioning system for the "bungalows." This kept them at a temperature of 65 degrees, and at the degree of humidity most suitable for the storage of works of art.

Stairways were built at the cliff entrance and at the entrance to each cavern. An ingenious alarm system was installed, and a guard-house built for the men who night and day, kept watch over the treasures.

Will Never Change

Majority Of Germans Still Believe They Are Master Race

Many mark is not stated: "I loathe everything that isn't German. If I manage to get back to Germany somehow during this war, I shall keep on fighting till I fall dead. Anyhow, we had a fine time."

Mr. Stowe gathered the opinion that a great many Germans, especially those who were sent to internment to return to another Hitler when they return to their home land, and five Germans among them during this war, played, was a gold watch—sign to the experienced of a booby trap. So the German bodies with their explosives were left unburied. Steel helmets are scattered among the churned-up signs of battle. Farther away is a burial field. Deep in the cliff, well below bomb penetration, are the long galleries in which the Germans lived. Evidence of the settled life that went on "over the ditch" is the presence of dozens of empty rabbit hutches.

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Deb was tired. His shoulders were hunched forward in their accustomed slump, and his chin was set at its usual defeated angle. He wanted to relax his thin body in the easy chair and read the paper before supper was ready. But it was not to be. "Deb," his wife said, as soon as he entered the kitchen, "before you sit down now, I want you should put a new washer on the sink faucet."

"It did not occur to Deb to protest. He was getting his tools in the basement when the car stopped in the drive. It was Tom, the shorn bringer, Mary's daughter, home. He did not mean to eavesdrop, but the basement window was open, and he couldn't help but hear. It was the same old argument.

"If we can't afford to live by ourselves we won't get married until I get another raise."

"Oh, Tom," Mary's voice was tearful. "Why don't you be like Papa? He always does whatever Mama says."

"I'm never going to be like Deb," Tom said scornfully. "When we're married I'll be master of the house."

Deb was too surprised to be angry. Master of the house? It was a frightening thought. He pushed it into the back of his mind, and went on about his task.

No Deb didn't see the paper until after supper. He folded it over, and there was the ad. He saw it right off.

"For sale: Small farm, fruit trees, six-room house, good condition. Will mortgage for \$6,500."

It was exactly what they had wanted for years. Deb thought excitedly. He would let Mama and the ad for herself. But Mama's eyes passed indifferently over the classified. She stifled a yawn, turned the

page. Deb had to swallow twice before he could trust his voice.

"Did you see that ad?" he managed finally. "The one about the small farm for sale, just sixty-five hundred dollars."

"Oh," said Mama indifferently, "is that cheap?"

Deb didn't know if it was cheap or not. That wasn't the point.

"That's just what we want," said Deb. "Sixty-five hundred dollars."

Mama looked startled. "Now, Papa, you don't know a thing about farming, and you're too old to learn."

"We could have a garden and flowers and things," Deb argued wistfully, "and a cow and chickens like we always planned."

"No, Papa, we are too old to make a change now," she said stubbornly.

Mary spoke from the doorway. "Papa, that's the silliest notion I ever heard!"

Deb felt sick. If Mary were on his side she could win her mother over. He maintained a resentful silence. Suppose Tom had wanted a farm—it was exciting just to think about it. Tom would have bought it. He would have been master of the house.

The next day on his way home at noon, Deb met Mary.

"I guess Tom and I can't get married this year," she said unapologetically. "I looked at apartments, but the rents are too high."

Deb said, resentfully, "If we took that farm, you and Tom could live there, rent-free."

He saw Mary's stricken look, and thought, spitefully: It serves her right for always siding in with her mother.

Mama was a good cook. She had Deb's favorite dinner, but he didn't even touch his desert; blabbery pie, too.

All afternoon Deb thought about it. What could Mama do if he just went ahead? "Mama," he would say crisply, "today I bought that farm. Next week we'll move."

Then he would be sternly silent, unmoved by her tears. At last she would dry her eyes and begin to pack. Deb chuckled delightedly with the thought. A man ought to be master in his own house.

He walked home after work with a brisk, determined step. Unconsciously his shoulders straightened and his chin jutted forward. Mama and Mary had just come in. Mary's arms were full of bundles. Mama looked hot and tired and triumphant. Deb stood with his legs braced far apart. He gave Mama a cold, masterful glance. This was going to be hard on her.

But Mama was paying no attention to Deb. She was chatting brightly. "We went for a ride this afternoon, and Mary said as long as we were in the country we might as well look at that farm you were talking about. She thought the house was just impossible."

Mama chuckled, "but I showed her how it could be fixed up real cute. It has the nicest big window in the living room. Mary where's those curtains I bought? I want to uncurtain it."

Mary winked slyly at Deb. Then she looked surprised. "Why, Papa, aren't you glad? Mama made an appointment with the man to draw up the papers."

"Well, that's fine," Deb said slowly. "She shuffled forward to view the package. Mama was unwrapping. His shoulders were hunched in their accustomed slump, and his chin set at its old, defeated angle."

DEPOSED BY POLE

A Poleish potehary, Ignacy Luke Anielow, devised the first oil lamp in 1852 and then distilled the first naphtha for use in the lamp from oil. The lamp was constructed for him by a locksmith and then used to light the hospital at Lowow, Poland, on July 31, 1853.

A CHINESE BELIEF

When in dire straits, the Chinese believe they may expect the souls of their ancestors to come to their rescue, but only if the remains have been properly buried and kept intact.

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THE Sun Life of Canada is an institution of Public Service conducted in the interests of its policyholders. Such was the purpose of its founders in 1865, a purpose which has been proudly maintained through nearly eight decades of continuous development. And such will be the purpose that will guide the destiny of this Company in the generations yet to be.

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The insurance laws provide ample safeguards to protect the interests of the policyholders and to assure sound administration.

In the past year, the new business secured by the Sun Life of Canada amounted to \$220,323,142. The assurances in force increased by \$139,107,959 and now total \$3,312,525,426. The benefits paid during the year were \$80,382,921, which brings the total amount paid since the founding of the Company to \$1,710,446,263. The Company's activities during 1944 give ample evidence of its continued progress. The business and the assets of the Company have increased, and substantial additions have been made to surplus and other funds to further safeguard policyholders' interests.

Arthur Wood
President and Managing Director
SUN LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA

A copy of the Annual Report for 1944 will be mailed to all policyholders.

V.C. Foundation

New Westminster To Organize Drive To Raise \$25,000

Mayor W. M. Mott of New Westminster has been authorized to appoint a committee to organize a drive to raise \$25,000 for the royal city's Victoria Cross Foundation. The drive was announced. The foundation will be used for educational purposes as a memorial to Maj. Jack Mahony and the man to draw up the papers."

BACKACHE? Look out for Trouble With Your KIDNEYS

If your back aches or if you have distorted sleep, burning or stinging look out for trouble. This condition is a sure sign that your kidneys are not fully ridging your blood of poisonous acids and waste. When the kidneys slow up, wastes collect. Backache, dizziness, pain and rheumatic pains may follow.

Your kidneys need help—and there is a time-tested, proven way to help them known as GOLD MEDAL HAZEL OIL CAPSULES. These capsules contain carefully measured quantities of the famous diuretic called Dutch Drops. You will find their action fast and effective. Be sure you get GOLD MEDAL HAZEL OIL CAPSULES, the genuine and original Dutch Drops—packed in Canada. Get a free package from your druggist.

Not Overloaded

Plane Accident Causing Death Of Former Polish Premier Was Not From This Cause

Air Secretary Sir Archibald Sinclair, denied in Commons the charge that the death of Gen. Wladyslaw Sikorski, former Polish premier, in July, 1943, resulted from overloading of aeroplanes taking off from a Gibraltar airfield.

Sinclair said the wreck which resulted in Sikorski's death was caused by the breaking of a piece of machinery in the plane which locked its controls.

Sinclair also said that Lt. Gen. W. H. E. Gott was killed when the plane in which he was travelling to take command of the Eighth Army in August, 1942, was strafed and set on fire by a German plane on Libyan airfield.

Each adult inhales a gallon of air per minute, and consumes 30 ounces of oxygen daily.

GARDEN NOTES

Dig It Well

A great deal of useful experience has been gained from Victory Gardens. Most important is the need for thorough preliminary cultivation. In a great many cases this was not done last year and as a result the gardener was left with his hands and his back fighting twigs and other weeds that were left to grow thoroughly eradicated in the first place.

Where at all possible the experts advise full plowing or digging of the land to be gardened. Then it should be cultivated thoroughly again in the spring. The objective is to have the soil worked up fine and free of weeds, especially weeds, before the seeds are planted. Rather than rush in the radish, carrots and peas at the first opportunity, old-timers advise waiting for another week if necessary, and in the meantime cultivating thoroughly and deeply. This extra work before the rows are planted will repay itself many times over in the hoing and weeding it saves later, after the garden is planted.

Flower Groupings

Flowers divide themselves into three groups. There are very hardy things that sometimes need themselves such as marigolds, cosmos, sweet peas, petunias, etc., perennials. One can plant them as soon as the ground is ready. In the intermediate category would be nasturtiums, bedders, Dutch Broom—packed in Canada. Get a free package from your druggist.

As soon as the frost goes out it is time to put up protecting stakes and wire, and as soon as one can walk on the grass without miring, it is time to plant seed. One can hardly now the seed too early, and a high grass mixture from a Canadian seed house is recommended. Follow seed directions closely. Lawns should be rolled when ground is soft.

CONTROL OF GRAIN INSECTS

Experimental work by the Division of Entomology, Dominion Department of Agriculture, has demonstrated that insects and mites affecting grain in storage can be controlled by fumigation with chloropicrin and this method has been employed generally in grain companies in Canada.

Trout belong to the salmonidae family, and, like the salmon, spend a part of their life in salt water. If conditions permit.

Junior Miss Frack



Stay In Britain

Australian Soldiers Who Have Married English Wives Will Not Return Home

Half the Royal Australian Air Force men who had gone to Britain and married British brides would never return to Australia, said a returned flight lieutenant.

They had grown used to the English climate and English ways, and had decided to settle there after the war.

Here's Speedy Relief For Tender, Aching, Burning Feet

Your feet may be so swollen and so tender that you think you can't go another step. Your shoes may feel as if they are cutting into the flesh. You feel sick all over with the pain and fatigue you give yourself by not resting.

Two three applications of Moen's Eucalypti Oil will do it. A few minutes the pain is gone.

No matter how discouraged you have been, if you have not tried Moen's Oil then you have something to learn. Get a bottle today—at all drugstores.

SOTHERS SOO THISTLE

Affairs seemed on irritable land infected with perennial soil thistle has smothered this weed in three years when the soil phosphate deficiency had been corrected, according to experiments carried out by the Dominion Experimental Station at Lethbridge. When no phosphate was applied, the thistles persisted.

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Show Big Increase Gasoline Tax Yield

An increase of nearly 200,000 in gasoline revenue collected by the provincial government during the past year has been officially reported, according to information received by the Alberta Motor Association.

The actual amount of provincial revenue from this source was \$9,835,000, compared with \$9,144,000 during the previous year.

It is claimed that this jump in revenue is due mainly to an increased number of motor trucks in operation.

During the year there was a decrease in motor licenses issued the number being 91,500 which was 1,239 below the figure of the previous year.

There were only 1,040 applications for license refunds, compared with 2,200 the year before.

HAVE YOU READ THE ADST?

Local & General

Mr. Frank Barker, of Calgary, spent the weekend in Carbon.

S.F. Torrance left on Tuesday for Camrose on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Steele and daughter Margaret, were Calgary visitors last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cressman were Drumheller visitors over the weekend.

"Hank" Dolphin, of Drumheller visited at his home here over the weekend.

Mr. I. Guttman returned Wednesday evening after a month's visit down east.

Mrs. L. Goudie, of Calgary, arrived in town on Tuesday to spend several days in the district.

Mrs. Castiglione had the misfortune of falling while in Calgary, and sprained her ankle.

A sure sign of spring! J. Atkinson Jr., tells us that he saw a couple of healthy looking gophers this week.

Mrs. Murray, of Whitty, Ont., who has spent the past month with her sister, Mrs. Maxwell, left on Monday for Fort Pitt.

Word has been received that Mrs. Carl Moorehouse of Vancouver, had a stroke.

Mrs. Ross Fraser left on Saturday for Olds, where she will visit with her sister, Mrs. Herb Boring.

Lost—Spare Tire off Rim, size 600x10. Reward. Finder please notify R. A. Bell, Swallow, (102p) or phone post office.

Word has reached Carbon of the death of Sgt. Colin Clifford Pope, son of Mr. Babe Pope and the late Mrs. Pope, in a Hong Kong prison camp. Sgt. Pope joined up in the early part of the war.

The Red Cross Drive

Canvassers of the Red Cross Drive commenced work Tuesday afternoon, and the names and amount of the donors up to Wednesday noon are as follows:

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| C. H. Nash | \$35.00 |
| Mrs. Nancy Potter | 20.00 |
| I. W. Mortimer | 10.00 |
| Rev. R. R. Hinchey | 10.00 |
| S. N. Wright | 5.00 |
| Mrs. H. Skerry | 5.00 |
| Mrs. Viola Embree | 5.00 |
| David Flaws | 5.00 |
| C. A. Cressman | 8.00 |
| Mrs. Jean Anderson | 2.00 |
| Ed Othausen | 2.00 |
| Ted Schmidt | 2.00 |
| Mr. & Mrs. C. W. Smith | 2.00 |
| Mrs. B. A. Foxon | 1.50 |
| Mrs. J. H. Cooper | 1.50 |
| Ohas Pattison | 1.00 |
| Mrs. J. I. Mortimer | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Millie Kaughman | 1.00 |
| Mrs. W. Ried | 1.00 |
| John McGowan | 1.00 |
| Harold H. Greenlee | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Harry Woods | 1.00 |
| Alec Sobyski | 1.00 |
| Mr. J. Boyarchuk | .50 |
| Mrs. Harry Hunt | .50 |
| Mrs. Wm Holmes | .50 |
| Mrs. K. E. Nash | .50 |
| Carbon Cafe | .50 |
| Carbon Laundry | .25 |

\$121.75

Adam Kalapaca, who is employed at Calgary, spent the weekend with his family here.

The sale of War Savings Stamps in Carbon amounted to the sum of \$280.

With the prevailing westerly winds and warm sunshine, the snow is practically gone, leaving only the discomfort of mud to be tolerated.

Willie Ziegler, formerly a resident of Carbon, enlisted in the Canadian (Active) Army recently at Calgary. Previous to his enlistment he was employed as a farmer.

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FAMILY ALLOWANCES

The Family Allowance Act becomes effective on the 1st of July, 1945. It is, therefore, of the utmost importance that all births which have occurred during the past 16 years be registered.

As payment of the allowance depends upon registration it would be advisable for parents to make sure that their children's births are on record in the bureau.

You are advised to attend to this at the earliest opportunity so as to avoid confusion and delay in the Edmonton Office due to last minute applications.

The fee for a search for each registration of birth is 50 cents. If a certificate is desired the fee is one dollar. All enquiries should be accompanied by the required fee and addressed to:

**The Deputy Registrar General,
Land Titles Building,
Edmonton.**



Transportation Stood Still for 4,000 Years

Modern Initiative and Industry Transformed It in a Single Decade

In 2000 B.C. the princes of Egypt used chariots for travel and for war. 1,500 years later "lofty houses of wicker-work on well-wheeled chariots" are reported from the valleys of the Don. 1,500 more years of progress, and with firmer canopies the covered wagons of Chenghiz Khan lumbered westward out of Asia. For another 1,000 years transportation changed but little—the Dover Stage and the Prairie Schooner were basically the same.

In the 20th Century, however, the automobile appeared—created by a man striving for achievement and sure of achievement's reward. It changed not only man's mode of travel, but in a single decade changed a Continent's mode of living.

In 1900 only one family of every hundred in Canada could afford a horse and buggy. In 1938 seventy-five of every hundred could and did afford a car.

Canadian Utilities Limited

The Continuing Job of the CANADIAN RED CROSS

THE EUROPEAN WAR is nearing its end. That is obvious. Many people, including members of the Canadian Red Cross, have asked us what our job will be if the war should suddenly end.

We reply that we can only see ahead greater responsibilities than ever. Both in Europe and at home the work of the Red Cross must go on. The war will not bring an end to suffering and want, to the care of our Prisoners of War, to our Wounded, and to the millions whose homes and way of life have been dislocated by strife.

We therefore feel that every Canadian has a right to some knowledge of what our responsibilities will be in the event of peace, and just how we propose to discharge those responsibilities. We treat each of our main activities under its respective heading.

PRISONERS OF WAR—With the end of hostilities our Prisoners of War will automatically cease to be Prisoners. Chances and breakdowns in Germany will probably cease. The German state will cease to care for them. They will become wards of the Allied General in command of the Occupation Forces. Transportation will be difficult, and it will probably take a minimum of six months to repatriate the 2,400,000 Canadian, British and Allied Prisoners in German Camps. The need of Prisoners' Parcels and Medical Supplies will be doubled. They will be distributed by the Allied Command, and will play a vital part in feeding our men pending repatriation. After the magnificent job we have done during the last five years we cannot let our boys in German prison camps down. Our Prisoners in the Far East will also be a continuing responsibility. We must carry on until every man is back home.

EUROPE'S STARVING MILLIONS—The job of feeding Europe's hungry millions is staggering in its immensity. Over 17,000,000 humans have been torn from their homes. Many have nowhere to rest their weary heads. They are starving. Malnutrition is the rule rather than the exception. There will be an urgent need for food, clothing and medical supplies. The Red Cross in these stricken countries are utterly dependent on their sister societies for supplies and these dire needs. Can we let them down? The Canadian Red Cross must go on!

RED CROSS WORK WITH OUR ARMED FORCES—Until the last Canadian soldier has left Europe and has been discharged from hospital, there will be important work for the Red Cross to do. How long this will be we do not know, but one thing we are certain of and that is that every Canadian at home will want to make sure that our boys will be as well looked after with the coming of peace as they were in war. The care of the wounded both in Europe and Canada is a permanent responsibility which we cannot evade. No Canadian wants to evade it. Here again the Red Cross must go on!

BLOOD SERUM SERVICE—Red Cross Blood Serum has saved countless lives in battle. The end of the war will see the end of painful war wounds. The demand for serum on the fighting front, except the Far East, will cease. But the Red Cross Blood Serum Service should be continued for civilian use. If the Red Cross makes it freely available it can save thousands of the lives of our own civilian citizens when war has ended.

OUTPOST HOSPITALS, CHILDREN'S CLINICS AND DISTRICT NURSING SERVICE—This is part of the Red Cross service to civilians in Canada. It is carried out in the sparsely settled parts of the Dominion, and it must go on.

FIRST AID AND HOME NURSING SERVICE—One of the most peace-time activities of the Canadian Red Cross. It is truly a worth-while work and must go on.

TEACHING CANADIANS HOW TO BE BETTER NOURISHED—There is important work yet to be done in the matter of Nutrition. Thousands of Canadians are not eating the proper food. Their health could be improved immeasurably. The Canadian Red Cross has undertaken to educate where education is necessary. This work must go on.

PREPARATION TO MEET EPIDEMIC OR DISASTER—In case of these twin evils the Red Cross is always first. For this reason alone the Red Cross must go on.

JUNIOR RED CROSS—A great crusade of 900,000 Canadian school children for health and good citizenship. A work that must go on.

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Red Cross Work Must Go On!